

We could barely see our grandmother, so far away. However, I could see her arm up in the air waving back and forth.

Carson and Abby waved their arms back and forth. They jumped up and down wildly. Carson wondered if his grandmother could see the two of them.

Suddenly, the children saw a bus turn off the main road and drive toward their grandmother. "Oh," said Abby, "Grandmother was not waving at us after all. She was waving to the bus driver to pick her up."

Grandmother was using a flag stop. A flag stop is when a person needs a ride some time but not all the time. A flag stop is when transit stops only if someone is there waiting or if a person signals for a ride. Signals can include waving, showing a flag or light, or using other signals or signs.